



# Worsley Mesnes Primary School

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7<sup>th</sup> December 2017

Dear Parents of children in Year 5

## Deadline for Parents to sign up 26/1/18 Residential Trip Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2019

You may be aware that some children out of Year 6 will be visiting Hinning House 19<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2018. Those children signed up for Hinning House way back in January 2017. They signed up at such an early date because the booking form needs to be in at Brathay Trust by a set deadline and also it enables parents to budget for the cost of the trip.

It is therefore now time to write to you to ascertain if you **would like your child to go on a one week Residential Trip for March 2019**. It is important that you give careful consideration as to whether you want your child to go on the Residential Trip as we will book the venue from the information we get back from you and it may not be possible to change venues later on when all schools have been allocated their slot. **The venue will be fixed from 26/1/18 which is the date school will submit their application to Brathay Trust.**

The venue will be either Hinning House or Lowbank Ground (depending on numbers who have signed up by Friday 26/1/18). Hinning House and Lowbank Ground are both owned by Brathay Trust and are both based in the Lake District, the only difference is that Lowbank Ground can accommodate a large number than Hinning House.

The current year 6 who are going on their Residential Trip to Hinning House are paying a total of £260. This figures includes accommodation, food, travel (£210 for those entitled to Pupil Premium – subsidy is taken from the Pupil Premium Grant). At this moment in time we are expecting this price to be the same as we have been able to hold this price for the last 3 years but we will notify you if it is due to change.

To give us an idea of numbers, to inform what we put on our booking form to Brathay Trust, to guarantee your place **you need to return the reply slip below by 26<sup>th</sup> January 2018** to enable us to submit our booking form to the Brathay Trust of whether we need the smaller accommodation of Hinning house or the larger accommodation of Lowbank Ground.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Barlow – School Business Manager

Child's Name : .....Class : Year 5

**I am returning this reply slip to express an interest in my child attending the Residential Trip March 2019.** I note that the venue may be either Lowbank Ground or Hinning House (as explained in the letter). **I understand that the choice of accommodation will be made depending on the number of children wishing to attend. I note that once school have signed up to a venue and confirmation has been received by the School from Brathay Trust then the venue is fixed.**

Signed.....(Parent) Dated.....